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## The Jimplecute.

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Editor and Proprietor.

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### Yesterday.

I meant, each brimming hour to send That promised letter to my friend; The moments flashed and broke like spray

And I forgot that all things end. That golden hour was yesterday—I can not reach my friend today.

The sunlight burns, an April whim. In shadow I remember him; The busy world hums merrily, But as I work my eyes are dim— He could have heard me yesterday, He can not answer me today!

He may have thought I did not care— My friend so sensitive, so rare— I failed him, I who loved him well! Dear God, how do Thy children dare To trifle with Thy Gift, today— That fades, so soon, to Yesterday!

—New York Times.

The sixty-second Congress ended its first session Tuesday.

The probecommittee are showing by their investigations that a very lax method was used in issuing poll tax receipts and that some means will have to be used to correct this before the indiscriminate buying of votes will cease.

I ask all teachers who contemplate taking a teachers' examination to call at my office for examination papers. By request of the State Superintendent I have paper expressly prepared for such work. It will be furnished at cost.

Small enterprises are what helps a town and county, as their numbers increase so does the prosperity of those interested. Other places have secured creameries, which have proved substantial investments. Why not establish one at Jefferson.

The M. K. & T. Railroad will spend approximately \$125,000 on improvements in the local yards at Greenville and an additional \$100,000 on the betterment of the roadway of the Shreveport division. They expect to replace the 52 and 56-pound steel with new 63 and 66-pound steel and re-ballast the roadbed, work to begin early next month.

The Jimplecute has received The Bozota News, which has been purchased by Brice Collins and wife Mrs. Kate Collins, from R. L. Stanley and contains their announcement. Brice Collins sold out The Petty Enterprise the first of the year and the press of the State are glad that he has taken up the newspaper business and wish the Collins' much success.

### Value of Gates Estate.

New York, Aug. 23.—John W. Gates, whose funeral took place here today, left an estate valued at from \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000 according to former justice Gildersleeve, who drew Mr. Gates will. The bulk of the estate is left to his widow and his son Charles W. Gates.

The beneficiaries also include relatives, friends and former employees the total amount of whose legacies will aggregate about \$1,000,000 in bequests ranging from \$1,000 to \$200,000.

### Frost near Duluth.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 23.—Frost was reported near Duluth early today. The coldest place in the Northwest was Dickinson N. D. where the mercury went to a point two degrees below freezing.

Commissioner Ed. R. Kone of the State department of agriculture has called a meeting at Austin for August 28 to arrange for exhibits of Texas products at the land shows to be held at Pittsburgh, New York and Chicago.

## A REPORT OF GOVERNMENT WORK.

Washington, D. C. Aug. 18 '11 To The Jimplecute:

I called at the War Department today to ascertain the present status of government work on the various rivers in the First Congressional District. I examined Capt. Jackson's report for July and found that the work is progressing satisfactorily and without interruption. The report is as follows as to operations of the Red, the Sulphur and the Cypress:

### RED RIVER—OPERATIONS DURING THE MONTH.

The snagging operations of the snagboat, "C. A. Culberson," has been retarded by high water on the river. During the month this snagboat destroyed 181 snags and cut 181 leaning trees between mile 0 and mile 2 1/2 above Fulton, Arkansas.

The two quarterboats in commission have worked over 7 1/2 miles of the river. There were 305 snags destroyed, 116 stumps destroyed, 961 shore snags cut, 39 logs removed from channel, 1 jam removed, 39 side jams removed, 2006 leaning trees cut, and 5000 square yards of willows and brush cut.

### PROBABLE OPERATIONS FOR NEXT MONTH.

It is proposed during August to continue work of clearing the river of obstructions.

### SULPHUR RIVER—OPERATIONS DURING THE MONTH.

The quarterboat has worked over 5.1 miles of the river. There were 358 snags destroyed, 35 stumps destroyed, 97 shore snags cut, 321 logs cut, 1 jam removed, 69 leaning tree cut, 75 leaning trees topped, 304 trees girdled and 50 square yards of willows and brush cut.

### PROBABLE OPERATIONS NEXT MONTH.

It is proposed during next month to continue work of clearing the channel of obstructions by means of the quarterboat.

### CYPRESS BAYOU—OPERATIONS DURING THE MONTH.

The quarterboat has worked over 9-10 miles of the Bayou. There were 50 snags destroyed, 61 stumps destroyed, 64 logs removed from the channel. From July 18th to the end of the month the quarterboat was used by the party securing data in connection with the survey of site for the proposed dam at the foot of Caddo Lake.

### PROBABLE OPERATIONS FOR NEXT MONTH.

It is proposed during August to continue snagging operations in the Bayou with the quarterboat.

### JEFFERSON-SHREVEPORT WATERWAY—OPERATIONS DURING THE MONTH.

Work during the month of July has consisted in designing the proposed dam at the foot of Caddo Lake, and in making examination of the land to be acquired in connection with the construction of this dam.

### PROBABLE OPERATIONS FOR NEXT MONTH.

It is proposed during the month of August to complete plans and specifications for this dam, and submit the same to the Chief Engineers for approval.

### Yours very truly,

MORRIS SHEPPARD.

### AN ORDINANCE.

Be It Ordained By The City Council of The City of Jefferson, Texas,

That it shall be unlawful for Hack Drivers or other persons to enter the Depot Grounds at any Railway Depot within the City Limits nearer than Twenty (20) feet to the main line of the Railroad for the purpose of soliciting customers for Hack Lines or for the Carriage of Baggage, and any person violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by fine of not less than One Dollar (\$1.00) nor more than Ten Dollars (\$10.00).

Approved, J. M. DEWARE, Mayor Protem.

ALVIN E. WALKER, Secretary.

Jefferson, Texas, Aug. 21st '11

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Pavilion Thursday, Aug. 31, at 4:00 o'clock.

All members and those interested invited to come out.

Mrs. S. W. Moseley, Recording Secretary.

5 or 6 doses "666" will cure any case of Chills and Fever. Price 25c. o30

## TEXANS FROZEN ON PIKE'S PEAK

Colorado, Springs, Colo., Aug. 22.—W. A. Skinner and wife of Dallas, Tex., who came here in July to spend the heated term, met with sudden death in a blinding storm of wind, rain hail and snow on the summit of Pike's Peak this morning.

Their frozen bodies were found by mere chance under a deep snowdrift near the tracks of the cog railroad at a 12,500-foot altitude, and within less than two miles of their destination, at 1 p. m. today, by a boy who was attracted by a part of the woman's dress fluttering in the wind.

Coroner Jackson was notified and was taken up by special train and the bodies are now in the morgue pending orders of relatives for shipment to Dallas.

The Skinners started alone on their nine-mile climb from the Manitou depot to the summit, expecting, probably, to be joined by other tourists as is the usual experience in the resort season. Half way up they were overtaken by the storm, but continued on their journey, though insufficiently clad for the cold.

At last, benumbed by cold and exhausted by their efforts at climbing, they sat down to rest. When found they were in each other's arms and had thus died, probably at the same hour.

Transportation tickets and other papers established their identity.

A pathetic feature of the deaths of the Skinners is the finding of a letter in Skinner's pocket, dated Dallas, Aug. 17, from J. H. Choice, in which these words occur:

"I hope you are having the time of your life in Colorado. I am sending you an overcoat as per your request."

"I hope you don't freeze to death on Pike's Peak!"

### WELL KNOWN IN DALLAS.

Willis A. Skinner and wife, who were frozen to death in Colorado, had been residents of Dallas for about twenty-five years. They both worked as printers on The Dallas News and The Galveston News about fourteen years ago. Mr. Skinner was once in the job printing business in Dallas and had worked for many of the local printing establishments. He was about 55 years of age and is survived by a nephew, Paul Skinner and son, 12 years of age. Their residence in Dallas was 306 South Carroll street.

Willis Skinner and wife are remembered in Jefferson. Mrs. Skinner was Miss Sallie Crane and learned to set type in the Jimplecute office, she was married to Mr. Skinner also a type in the same office, and soon after they went to Dallas where they took cases on the Dallas News. Mrs. Skinner has a good farm near town that was left her by her brother, Richard Crane. They also have acquired nice property in Dallas, and leave one son, Carnegie, aged about 12 years.

### Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge.

IN THE MATTER OF E. E. HICKS, In Bankruptcy Bankrupt.

To The Honorable Gordon Russell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Texas.

E. E. Hicks, of Lodi, in the County of Marion and State of Texas, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 14th day of March last past, he was adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to Bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property and have fully complied with all requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching said bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankruptcy acts, except as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 22nd day of August, A. D. 1911.

E. E. HICKS, Bankrupt.

### ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON

Eastern District of Texas, SS.

On this 24th day of August A. D. 1911, on reading the foregoing petition it is—Ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 25th day of September, 1911, before Honorable Gordon Russell, Judge of said Court, at his office at Tyler, in said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and that notice thereof be published in said district and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their place of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable GORDON RUSSELL, Judge of the said Court, [SEAL] and the Seal thereof, at Sherman, in said district, on the 24th day of August, 1911.

J. R. BLADES, Clerk.

The first American Merchant Ship to pass through Panama Canal will contain goods manufactured in Texas. The Commercial Secretaries & Business Men's Association is planning the project.

**ALCOHOL**  
is almost the worst thing for consumptives. Many of the "just-as-good" preparations contain as much as 20% of alcohol. Scott's Emulsion is a drop. Insist on having Scott's Emulsion.  
FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS

### Mims' Chapel.

Aug. 22.—Rev. John W. Wardlow has recently closed a meeting at this place, with some additions to the church, and one candidate for membership was baptized by immersion.

We are sorry to announce the death of Mr. J. H. Wimberly, who died at the Cass County Farm August 9th. The death of Mr. Wimberly was indeed sad to his relatives and their friends, although his death was not much of a surprise, for he has been in feeble health for several years, since he was stricken with paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mims of Dallas, are at the old home again to spend a few weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. J. J. Brown left about two weeks ago for Marlin, Texas, with his 11-year old daughter for the improvement of her health. Josie has been afflicted with rheumatism for several months and has been an invalid most of the time. Little Josie has the sympathy of a host of friends and we learn she is already improving. We hope the trip will be of great benefit to her.

Some of the farmers in our community have sowed turnips, but we don't think the season was sufficient to cause them to stand after coming up.

Miss Ever Claud of Dallas, has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Pearl Cox, of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Taylor invited the entire Sunday School class of Mims' Chapel to be present last Tuesday night to enjoy an ice cream supper, given at their home. There were nearly 100 people present, but yet there was plenty of ice cream and cake for all. At the hour of 11 o'clock the young people began to approach Mr. and Mrs. Taylor in a very pleasing manner, extending to them their thanks and appreciation for this delightful occasion, before returning home.

Cotton is now opening fast in this section and we believe it will make an average of about 3-4 of a bale per acre. It has been shedding squares and young bolls during the dry weather.

We are sorry to note that H. Little is on the sick list for the last two weeks. We learn that he left yesterday and went by way of Jefferson to some health resort, but have not learned where.

We wonder what has become of Stonewall No. 2? We would like for him to come out of his shell and appear in the columns of the Jimplecute.

Have been a reader of The Jimplecute for four years and don't see how I could get along without it.

Will close, by asking some of my former friends to tell me what will destroy bud worms in young corn. If any one knows you will please report through the columns of the Jimplecute.

E. J. MIMS.

### Letter to For Bros, Jefferson, Texas.

Dear Sir: Tell the owners: "I paint Devoe, nothing else, unless you want me to paint something else: I'll paint whatever you like; it's your house, not mine, your job, not mine: It's mine if I do it my way; it's yours, if I do it your way."

"It will cost you less, Devoe; less gallons to buy and brush on; less money for paint, less money for wages; a gallon put-on is about \$5; Devoe will cost less by a tenth to a half according to what you compare it with; and wears better, how much better depends on what you compare it with—it may be a year, it may be ten."

"It is my business to know how to paint as well as to paint; and I do. You can see my jobs by the dozen."

That's straight talk. The man who can talk like that with a steady eye, will have plenty of business; good business too; and men will stand by him.

Yours truly

F. W. DEVOE & CO.

The Citizens Drug Co. sells our paint.

### Nine More Postal Banks.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Houston and El Paso will get postal savings banks on Sept. 20 and Bay City, Brownsville, Huntsville, Snyder, Stephenville, Sulphur Springs, and Terrell on Sept. 20.

## County Superintendents

This space is edited for the benefit of the teachers and to advance the cause of education in Marion county. I trust that no teacher will fail to read each week what this space contains.

ALICE EMMERT, County Superintendent

### County School Trustees

The Commissioners' Court appointed the following County School Trustees: R. B. Walker, B. J. Benefield, W. R. Loomis, G. W. Liverman, J. C. Lindsay. The law requires that one be appointed from each county precinct.

### Local School Tax.

A local tax of ten cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of property was carried in district 2 without a dissenting vote. Hurrah for district 2! This speaks a great interest in school affairs.

### Education.

Countess Elmer de Lonyay in the Independent: In schools and private houses too much importance is attached to instruction, and yet the instruction that the children receive is wanting in many of the most vital points. These poor creatures have no time to digest what they learn. What is to be taught all children and what is to be impressed upon them by every means at command, are the fundamental principles of education. Decency and hygienic, unmistakable faith, humanitarianism, the importance of public welfare and sympathy and contentment should be awakened in them, as well as the enjoyment of the beautiful, which, together with the love of doing good, forms happiness. The senses should be stimulated to take an interest in the arts, which are bound to influence the development of the mental and psychological powers; and special attention should be given to the furtherance of those tendencies which might lead to the choosing of a practical vocation.

Girls should also be instructed to cook, to iron, to sew. They should be taught the idea of family life, order, cleanliness; and should have explained to them the importance of a practical understanding of the thousand necessities of life, especially the value of time and money.

Schools of learning which are not schools of cultural education are of no value today. Such schools are worthless from an educational standpoint, as they do not give any moral stability to children nor convey any understanding for the practical, useful and necessary things of life. What the children learn in such places is hardly impressed upon their memory; whereas they often read things which their immature minds can not grasp, and which yet leaves an impression that frequently accounts for actions in their later life.

The hours spent in such schools are not sufficiently incentive and are often a torture to both teachers and scholars. The examinations prove the correctness of these observations. And such poor, pitiable young objects are supposed to be prepared to do battle as youths, men and women against immorality, hatred, alcoholism, brutality, infidelity and disobedience. They are to bear poverty with resignation, and to overcome falsity, injustice and brutality. This is impossible.

These children, having finished their years of schooling, hardly know the difference between right and wrong. These children at the age of 14 years are supposed to go out into the world full of danger in order to earn their bread, or are sent to remain with their relatives in hamlets, villages or towns, where they may have to meet brutality without knowing how to deal with it. They see and hear, and their immature and innocent minds are not prepared to profit by the experience.

No one has led them, no one has tried to mould them; they grew up like the grass in the fields. Would it not be a blessing if in children's institutions the character of the dear little ones were formed and guided while they are at play?

The system of education and instruction is greatly behindhand, and is sadly in need of a categorical change, so that at last different conditions may make a triumphant entry.

He who solves this great and urgent problem with love, from sheer benevolence toward his fellow creatures, and solves it conscientiously, may expect the most splendid monument, and deserves eternal gratitude in having acted for the well being of the great family of mankind.

### REST AND HEALTH TO MOTHER AND CHILD.

Mrs. Winkler's Soothing Syrup has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE GUMS, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. It is absolutely harmless. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winkler's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

## Harleton Fair Better Than First.

Harleton held another community fair Friday, which J. O. Hughes says was far better than the one held in July. Harleton appears to be coming right to the front as an agricultural section of Harrison and Mr. Hughes says some magnificent crops are to be produced there next year, with the usual seasons. Some of the finest cotton he has seen this year was exhibited. The big watermelon weighed 68 pounds and the muskmelon weighed 20 pounds. While this is not the month for sweet potatoes he says; they exhibited, one of which must have weighed a pound and a quarter. Fine corn and ribbon cane were also shown as well as other products.

Mr. Hughes was accompanied by Rev. L. B. Elrod, County Superintendent Cyphers and J. D. Meyers, Mr. Myers made a talk about his corn. Mr. Cyphers spoke relative to schools and agriculture, but Mr. Elrod got the crowd going with his talk on science as related to agriculture. Mr. Elrod is one of the best chemists in all Texas and a thorough scientist all the way through. But he got next to those people by revealing to them little facts about old fashioned soap making, dog fennel, sweet gum leaves and the like which they had never observed or had opportunity to learn.—Marshall Messenger.

### Compelling Other People To Donate.

Margaret E. Sangster writes a very interesting article on "Our Teachers and Our Schools" in the September Woman's Home Companion. One of the points brought out has to do with the rather prevalent custom that millionaires have of giving gifts conditional upon an equal sum being raised by others, Mrs. Sangster says:

"Apropos of conditional gifts, I find in my desk, among letters laid away for use, one in which these pathetic sentences occur: 'The cruel policy of conditional donations nearly brought our president to the grave, and led to a cut of two hundred a year on the already meager salaries of our professors, constraining them besides to make a subscription of one hundred dollars apiece from the remainder, and then wrung two thousand five hundred dollars from the poor students who could not afford to give a cent.'"

### Shreveport-Dallas Highway.

The latest development in the road building epidemic that has taken hold on the State, is the inter-state highway that is being agitated by the Longview Chamber of Commerce, leading from Shreveport, Louisiana, to Dallas, and traversing the principal towns of East Texas. The movement has been under way for some time and has been endorsed and promised support from practically every town along the proposed route and with the sentiment for road building at the highest pitch, as is the case in Texas at present, in all probability the proposed highway will be carried to completion.

### Lumber Mills Close Down.

Shreveport, La., Aug. 21.—Twenty-two lumber mills in West Louisiana and East Texas closed down today because of labor troubles. Eight thousand employees were thrown out of work and are likely to remain idle for some time as the mill operators declare they will never consent to accede to the demands of the timber workers union which is seeking to affiliate with the Industrial Workers Union. The operators' association claims that there is plenty of lumber on hand for the trade for some time to come and that they can afford to keep the mills closed indefinitely.

### Taft Signs Statehood Bill.

Washington, Aug. 21.—President Taft signed the joint resolution for the admission of New Mexico and Arizona into the union at 3:08 p. m. There was but one resolution so that the President used three different pens in order that some of the relic hunters might be satisfied.

The resolution signed by the President provides that Arizona shall eliminate the judiciary recall clause in its constitution.

According to the Bible, preachers are God's ministers in spiritual affairs and officers of the law, are God's ministers in civil affairs. If preachers ought not to "candidate," but leave Churches free to select their own pastor, the same rule ought to hold good among God's ministers in civil affairs. This will bring us back to the good old doctrine of the office seeking the man.—Anti Saloon League in H. and S.

### List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at Jefferson, Marion county, Texas, Thursday, Aug. 24, 1911.

Mr.—Harrison Adkins. B. M. Bonn, J. Ray, Otis Cobb, Gay Smith, Alf Smith, Boss Reed, Samuel Jones, James Henry. Labun E. Jones, Octavia Davis.

Mrs.—Mayne Jackson, Lucy Jackson, Lucy M. Rogers, Nettie Britt, Miss—L. B. Bomer, Alice Phillips, Willie Mason, Violette Johns, Selphie Watts, Mable Smith.

Persons calling for above letters please say "Advertised."

HAL SINGLETON, P. M.

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Everybody who has ever taken calomel knows what a strong drug it is. Calomel spurs the tired liver as if it were a tired horse, and while the liver works harder for a little while, it is soon weaker than ever.

Dodson's Liver-Tonic is a vegetable tonic that gently induces the most sluggish liver to work. Taking it is followed by no bad after-effects. No restrictions on habit or diet necessary. For either children or grown people.

W. J. Sedberry sells a large bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tonic for fifty cents and guarantees it to be a perfect substitute for calomel and will give you your money back if it disappoints you.

### Oil Field Notes.

The Oil Field interest at present are not doing very much, but will, we think, open up about the first in full blast. There has been quite a lot of work going on through the vacation months.

The Wagnespick Oil and Land Dev., Co., are drilling on their track northeast of town and are down about 500 or 600 feet. They started to drilling about a week ago.

The new pipeline and Loading Rack that is building at Vivian to take the heavy Oil, has forced the Standard into making contracts to take the heavy Oil.—The Vivian Times.

### Club House Burned.

Marshall, Texas, Aug. 20.—News was received here this morning to the effect that the big club house of Uncertain Ranch burned last night. The club house was located on Caddo Lake, about twenty miles from Marshall, and was brand new, having been finished only a short while ago. The club house cost \$2,500 and was owned by a stock company, which formed the club. There is no particulars as to how the fire originated. Not a cent of insurance was carried on the building or the furniture.

### Refused To Endorse Bailey.

Austin, Aug. 23.—Senator Hudspeeth's resolution recently introduced in the Texas Senate to endorse the stand of United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey on the tariff question died today in the Senate committee on commerce and manufacture to which it was referred.

The committee by unanimous vote this morning refused to even report on the bill.

### For Sale.

One 10x12 Steam Engine, One 42x12 Tubular Boiler, One 84x12 Engine, One 36x12 Tubular Boiler, One 12 horse power Gasoline Engine.

G. W. BROWN, Jefferson, Tex.

June 13, 1911. jy-8

By leaving a loaf of bread at the house of a girl's father in some countries in Europe a wooer signifies that he will keep and maintain her.

## PLENTY OF PROOF.

From People You Know—Jefferson Citizens.

The greatest skeptic can hardly fail to be convinced in the face of evidence like this. It is impossible to produce better proof of merit than the testimony of residents of Jefferson of people who can be seen at any time. Read the following case of it:

T. K. Smith, Austin St., Jefferson, Texas, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills take other sufferers from kidney trouble will profit by my experience. I had kidney complaint for thirty years and during that time, I doctored and tried all kinds of remedies without benefit. A dull, heavy pain in the small of my back was with me constantly, but the principal symptom of my trouble was sharp twinges in my loins. When these made their appearance, I could not move and at